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Sir:

The following utility patent application is enclosed for filing:

Applicant(s): William J. Oswald and Franklin Bailey Green, Ph.D.

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Title of Invention: Method and Apparatus to Establish and Optimize Sedimentation and Methane Fermentation in Primary Wastewater Ponds

PATENT APPLICATION FEE VALUE

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Total Filing Fee					\$ 345.00

Also enclosed:

- ☒ Unexecuted Declaration; and
- ☒ 6 sheets of informal drawings.

Respectfully submitted,

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